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Ms. Cressy was recently selected as the Deputy Counsel, Naval Sea Systems Command.

Previously, she served as the Deputy Assistant General Counsel (Financial Management and Comptroller), where she was responsible for providing legal advice regarding fiscal issues that arise in the execution of the Department of the Navy's budget.

Ms. Cressy is a graduate of the University of Virginia and the George Mason University School of Law. She joined the Department of the Navy Office of the General Counsel (OGC) as an advanced commitment in September 1990 and was assigned to the Office of Naval Research.

In 1995, Ms. Cressy was competitively selected as the Harvey J. Wilcox Fellow, a one-year developmental position within OGC. She then served as an Assistant Counsel with the Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command (SPAWAR), where she provided legal advice on a variety of procurement matters. In 1997, she transferred to the Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA), where she was assigned to the Ship Systems Section. During part of that time she served as counsel for the Director, Naval Nuclear Propulsion (SEA 08). Ms. Cressy then served as the Assistant to the Deputy General Counsel, Department of the Navy. In 1994, she returned to NAVSEA as the Section Head for the Ship Systems Section before moving to her current position.